Non-availability of the medicines in CGHS Unani and Ayurvedic dispensaries at Sarojini Nagar and Kidwai Nagar

3489. SHRI PRITHIBI MAJHI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that special slip medicines in CGHS Unani and Ayurvedic dispensaries in Sarojini Nagar and Kidwai Nagar remain out of stock for two and three weeks at a time distrupting the treatment of patients; and

(b) if so, what remedial steps Government propose to take to ensure regular supply of the above category of medicines to these dispensaries?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) No Sir The listed Unani and Ayurvedic melicines are by and large available in CGHS Unani Dispensary Sarojini Nagar and Ayurvedic dispensary, Kidwai Nagar.

(b) Does not arise in view of answer to (a) above.

Shortage of medicines at CGHS Dispensary at Gurgaon

3490 SHRIMATI KRISHNA KAUL: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there is shortage of medicines including bandage and dressing cotton at CGHS dispensary, No. 73 (Gurgaon) for the last four months; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and what steps have been contemplated to supply the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) and (b) No, Sir However, in case of non-availability of any medicine the same is procured directly from M's Super Bazar and supplied to the beneficiaries.

India's participation in 1988 Seoul Olympics

3491. SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to participate in the 1988 Seoul Olympics;

(b) if so, whether preliminary work has been completed with regard to the events, the standard of selection, training etc; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT AND THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI P. V. NARASIMHA RAO): (a) to (d) The Indian Olympic Association (IOA), which is the National Olympic Committee for India responsible for representation of the country at the Olympic Games, has informed that they propose to participate in 1988 Seoul Olympics They have further informed that the disciplines in which India would participate would depend upon the performance level achieved by our sportspersons and the selection criteria finally approved. The concerned national sports federations are already holding training camps to train sportspersons in the respective disciplines

Declaration of Hyderabad Air Port as an International Air Port

3492 SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government of Andhra Pradesh have requested for the declaration of the Hyderabad Airport as an international airport,

(b) whether it is also a fact that a large number of people from Andhra Pradesh employed in Gulf and other countries are experiencing great difficulty because of non-availability of direct international flight to Hyderabad;

(c) if so, whether Government propose to declare Hyderabad Airport as an international airport; and